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REV. S. G. SHELLEY.

Prominent Methodist Minister Known to Every body in Columbia District.

AFTERSHORTILLNESSDIESATCAMPBELLSVILLE

The intelligence of the death of Rev. S. G. Shelley, which occurred at his home in Campbellsville, last Sunday morning, between midnight and day, cast a gloom over this entire community. For four years before being assigned to Campbellsville, he was the Presiding Elder of the Columbia District, and during that time he resided in Columbia, and often preached to the congregation at this place.

He was a very lovable man, full of the spirit of God, and was a constant worker for his Master. He was a strong man intellectually, kind and gentle in manners, drawing all men into his confidence, having only the love of God for his guidance. His death brought sorrow to every home in this town and throughout the Columbia district, being classed as a man of God. His passing is not only a serious blow to the church he loved, but it is a distinctive loss to society, as he stood for right living and taught it from the pulpit.

The deceased had been a popular minister in this community for many years, having been the Presiding Elder at two different times, with a few years between the charges.

He was a man who was never known to be idle. It mattered not where you saw him, on the streets or upon the public highway, he was busy in the cause of his Maker.

The deceased was born and reared in Clinton county, and was licensed to preach when quite a young man, and was about sixty-two years old, and during his career as a minister he filled many important charges in the Louisville Conference. He had served a church at Louisville, Hopkinsville and Glasgow, and a number other Churches of the larger towns of Kentucky.

At the time of his death he was a member of the Board of Education of the Louisville Conference, and he took a great interest in the Lindsey-Wilson school, this place.

His death has cast a gloom over the Louisville Conference and all the Churches of Southern Methodism throughout the State.

There were funeral services at Campbellsville, there being many beautiful floral offerings. The discourse was preached by Rev. T. J. Wade, of this place, who succeeded Bro. Shelley as Presiding Elder. He paid high tribute to the life and character of the deceased.

The remains were then shipped to Bewleyville, Breckinridge county, for interment. Bewleyville was the home of Mrs. Shelley before her marriage. Mrs. Shelley has been a faithful companion of her now sainted husband, and great sympathy is felt for her. She is a consecrated lady, and knows how to reach her God in this great sorrow.

The hour for the funeral is 2 o'clock this, Tuesday afternoon. During its progress there were no exercises at the Lindsey-Wilson. The school sent a beautiful floral design.

The soldiers who are here, from Camp Knox, will give a demonstration on the public square next Saturday. They will operate a machine gun and it will shoot a hundred dollars worth of powder. It will be a grand sight. Come Everybody.

LOST, A black pocket book, with a five dollar bill and an old two dollar bill and \$3.00 in silver, between town and town bridge. Finder will receive a reward. Leave it at this office.

Ed Barbee.

Read the half page demonstration "ad" in this week's paper, and arrange to be in Columbia next Saturday. One hundred dollars worth of powder will be used in the demonstration.

Oil Interests.

The Palmer Oil and Gas Company, a corporation chartered here in Columbia, State of Kentucky, with offices also in Cleveland, Ohio, held their annual meeting here Wednesday, Jan. 21, 1920. The following Directors were elected for the ensuing year:

George H. Palmer, President; Fred J. White, Vice President; John O'Brien, Secretary; S. W. Schatzberg, Treasurer; Elmer G. Derr, Attorney; J. B. Harpham, Oil Manager; J. M. Carroll, Business Manager;

This company has some very fine holdings in Adair county, also in McCallie and Cumberland counties. Their intentions are soon to be put into execution near Columbia. A little patience is all that is necessary to see the results.

Messrs. Palmer, O'Brien and Schatzberg came here Monday with the intention of a thorough inspection of their leases, but owing to the condition of the roads and constant rain, had to postpone it until later, as other business in Cleveland demanded their presence back home.

M. O'Brien and M. Schwartzberg, being on their first visit here in Columbia, they were very much pleased with this section and more so with the people that they came in contact with, and cannot say enough of their appreciation for same, but their only hope is to be among them again in the near future prepared for business.

40 Mules 40.

Big Auction Sale At Columbia, Ky. Monday, Feb. 2nd. Forty good mules, ranging in age from 2 to 7 years old, 14 3-4 to 16 hands high. Twenty of these mules are Red Sorrels, and closely mated. Twenty of the forty will weigh from 1,000 to 1,200 each, and well broken. Every mule will positively be sold without reserve or limit. Sale will begin at 10:30, A. M.

S. M. Burdette.
Columbia, Ky.,

Mrs. Nannie Hood Dead.

The subject of this writing died last Thursday night, at her late home, on the Glasgow road, a few miles from Columbia. She was a daughter of "Uncle" Billy Waggener, deceased, and the widow of George Hood. Her son, Marcus Hood, is known to every body about this place. The deceased was about seventy-five years old. She was an aunt of Mr. W. T. and Rufus Price. She had been a member of the Methodist Church for many years, and took great interest in Church work. The living will not soon forget her influence.

The funeral was largely attended, and there were many floral offerings. To those who have been so sorely bereft, The News extends its sympathy.

If you want a good mule attend S. M. Burdette's auction Monday.

Mr. R. L. Davis, this place, sold his farm, containing 87 acres, lying on Russell's Creek, near Portland, to Tom Dudley for \$10,000. Mr. Davis is undecided as to where he will purchase another farm. He has visited several counties with a view of buying, but as yet has not closed a deal. Mr. Davis is one of our best citizens, and we would be glad if he could find a farm here to suit him.

Rev. J. R. Crawford, who was pastor of the Presbyterian Church here for four years, but who has been with the church at Pikeville for several years, has received a call from Paducah, and takes charge of a church there in a very short time. He is a strong preacher and was very much liked in Columbia.

Come to Columbia's next Saturday. Come and come a running. A big day for men, women and children.

There will be a meeting in the interest of good roads at Blies Saturday night. All interested attend.

From Danville, Ky.

Jan. 21, 1920.

My Dear Mr. Murrell:

I have a bit of news I think might be of interest to you, so decided to write you a letter. If any of it meets your approval use it, if not, read it for your own self.

Mrs. Harriet Steele Mitchum, daughter of the late Rev. John D. Steele, of Adair county, died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Alfred Coulter, Sunday, Jan. 18th, in Danville. Mrs. Mitchum was born and reared in Adair county, but most of her married life was spent in Boyle and Lincoln counties. Her husband, Hardgrove Mitchum, taught in the Christian College—Primary Dept., at which time his wife kept school gboards. She was in her 94th year. Judge Hancock and Mrs. Curd are closely related to the deceased.

Dr. and Mrs. B. Woodlare spending the winter in Florida. The Dr. wishes to be remembered to all his old friends.

We had a burglar the same week Mr. Jas. Garnett did, and ours was the luckier burglar, for he got \$1.75 and Dad's night key. We expect him to call again any night now, since he has a key.

Betty, my nine year old sister, has just recovered from an attack of Scarlet fever.

One of our neighbors, Mrs. J. D. Whitehouse, (nee Alice Rubards,) has just returned from Atlanta, Ga., where she and Mr. Whitehouse have been combining business and pleasure. Best regards from us all.

Laura Frazer.

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Must Pay Teachers.

According to a decision of the Court of Appeals teachers in the public schools are entitled to pay for the time schools were closed last fall and winter on account of influenza. Susie Scholl, of Russell county, who was refused pay for lost time, sued B. A. Lawless, the county superintendent, and the case went to the higher Court, and she won out. There are similar cases over the State.

Miss Mary Miller, enumerator for the town of Columbia, finished her work last week. J. G. Eubank has finished in South Columbia and Ray Flowers in West Columbia and Elmer Keene in the Gradyville district. We understand that Ed Butler has completed the work in East Columbia.

Mr. A. E. Nacke, arrived from Camp Knox in company with two Lieutenants and four private soldiers, last Wednesday night. They are at the Jeffries Hotel, and they are here to recruit soldiers for the artillery. Young men who want to enlist, can get an audience by calling at the hotel.

Henry Mullinx, of this place, sold his crop of Burley tobacco, 3,232 pounds in Campbellsville, last Wednesday. It brought him 28 cents, the crop bringing him \$904.96. Henry Ingram went with Mr. Mullinx. He had only 1,246 pounds, which he sold at the same price.

Geo. Cheatham sold six hogsheads of tobacco on the Louisville market last week at an average of \$40 per hundred. On the same day W. H. Flowers sold six hogsheads at an average of \$54.00 per cwt.

Mr. S. F. Eubank says that there is one thing very noticeable to him, and that is this: That since world wide prohibition had taken effect that the roosters in this town crow all night

Thirty-Seventh Anniversary.

Last Wednesday was the thirty-

seventh anniversary of the marriage of Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Coffey, and the event was duly celebrated. The feast was not spread at the noon hour, but the celebration took on the nature of a 6 o'clock dinner, as it did not occur to Mr. Coffey in the forenoon that the day was his marriage anniversary. In leaving the square for home he carried out a basket of oranges and apples, and handed it to Mrs. Coffey, who asked the contents. "That is our anniversary," said Newt. So the oranges were prepared and placed on the table with many other delicious viands.

After Mr. and Mrs. Coffey, their children and grand-children had partaken, Mrs. Coffey said: "Now, children, eat all the oranges you can, for it will be thirty-seven more years before your grandfather buys any more."

Public Auction.

The first Monday in February, on the public square, Columbia, Ky., at 1 p. m., I will sell at public outcry, a lot of hats, caps, shoes, coats, pants, etc.

L. M. Smith, Cane Valley, Ky.
T. F. Corbin, Auctioneer.

Will Locate in Nashville.

In a few days we will lose Mr. Ray Conover.

He returned from Nashville last week where he formed partnership with an old friend, Mr. J. M. Gilliam, who is in the wholesale jewelry business. Mr. Conover is a good business man, and was one of the firm of Russell & Co., who conducts a general store here, for a number of years. He is an honorable gentleman, one who looks after business closely, and his many Adair county friends will be glad to learn that the success that he met with here remains with him in his new venture.

Mrs. Conover and her son, James, will follow soon.

Public Sale.

On Saturday, Feb. 7, 1920. I will offer to the highest bidder, the following described property:

Household goods, farming implements, two young mares, three 3 year old mules, one aged mule, two milch cows, four head young cattle, 14 head of hogs, 7 fat, the remainder good stock hogs, 10 head of sheep, mostly ewes, good lot of corn and hay.

My farm of 77 acres, one mile from Breeding, well improved. On it is a splendid new barn.

E. M. Harrison,
J. S. Breeding, Auctioneer.

Mr. Jas. E. McMurtry, who was a native of Cumberland county, and for many years practiced law at Burkesville, died at Bowling Green last week. He was 66 years old. He is very pleasantly remembered by a number of Columbians, as he was often here while he resided in Burkesville.

Green county now has a sheriff, the first one in over forty years. He is in office by appointment made by County Judge J. H. Graham. The name of the sheriff is T. J. Goll, and he is said to be a man of sterling character.

Wanted.

I will pay 17 cents for dressed hogs, delivered at my shop.

N. B. Kelsay.

We will furnish the Adair County News and Cincinnati Weekly Enquirer, one year each, for \$1.80. The Enquirer is the best weekly that comes to this part of the State, and it contains all the Kentucky news.

Mrs. Laura Jackman has had two additional rooms built to her residence, the entire building repainted, which gives it a very inviting appearance.

J. H. Jones sold his residence, near Myers & Barger's roller mill, to Albin Murray. Consideration, private.

Extend the Corporate Limits.

We notice, from the News-Journal,

that Campbellsville is thinking seriously of extending its city limits. Town lots are as scarce in Campbellsville as they are in Columbia, and if this extension is made it will open lots for building purposes. Columbia should do the same thing. We do not know of a plat of ground in the corporate limits of this town that can be purchased for building lots. There are people who want to locate here, but for the fact there are no sites to buy, bars them. It is true that if the city limits should be extended, more streets would have to be maintained, but it is also true that more taxes would be collected to be expended on the streets. There would have to be an election called and the people given an opportunity to vote on the proposition. So far as population is concerned this town will not grow larger until the corporate limits are extended.

For Sale.

One thoroughbred Big Type Poland China sow, will farrow in Feb., also have some nice young boars.

T. B. Dohoney.
Phone No. 40 D.

Death of An Old Colored Woman.

Last Thursday night, at the home of her son-in-law, Ed Waggener, Kliziah Garnett, of color, who was between eighty and ninety years old, closed her eyes in death. She was an honest and very much respected old woman. She had many friends among the white residents of this town, and she was respected by all. She was an old time darkey, one who kept her place and enjoyed her friends. A great many of her race and some white people attended her burial.

S. M. Burdette will sell at auction at his barn in Columbia, Ky. next Monday, county court day, Feb., 2, 40 head of the best mules ever offered at the mercy of the public in this section of Ky.

Marriage Licenses.

S. C. Neat has issued the following marriage licences since our last report: Iva V. Bailey and Bertha Hobious, J. B. Floyd and Latitia Roy, Lewis W. Caffee and Dilila Ayers.

Mrs. Marion Capshaw, who has been in Illinois where her husband, who is in the army, is stationed, arrived here with her children last Thursday night and stopped at the home of Mr. O. D. Arnold. Mrs. Capshaw was direct from the flu district in Illinois, and she was sick upon her arrival.

Dr. O. P. Miller, acting as health officer went to see the patient, quarantined the home of Mr. Arnold, and it will not be lifted until Mrs. Capshaw recovers. This action is a precaution against the possible spread of the disease. There are no other symptoms in Columbia, and should a case develop it will be immediately isolated.

For Sale.

Rhode Island Red Roosters.

Mrs. Josh Butler.

The income tax man will be in Adair county on the following dates: At the Court-house, in Columbia, Feb. 2 to 6. Bank of Gradyville, Gradyville, Feb. 7. Do not fail to see him.

Mr. M. C. DeHart, a former citizen of Adair county, is located at Norwood, Ohio. He is a contracting painter and does a great deal of work, having several hands under him.

Mr. L. M. Sanders, brother of Sheriff Carter Sanders, has removed from Absher to Coburg. He is a thrifty farmer and a valuable acquisition to that neighborhood.

Few of the many bargains at the Durham Produce House: Fish, 100 lb. bag, \$9.50; house paint, \$2 per gallon; Rice, 110 per pound; Rolled Oats, 120.

Delightful Entertainment.

On Saturday evening last, January 24th, from nine to twelve, over forty invited guests were entertained at a "cafeteria lunch," given by Dr. and Mrs. H. W. Dohoney, at their spacious home on Burkesville Street, in honor of Miss Mae Cornell, of Fairfield, Ky., who has been spending a few days with her sister, Miss Mary Elizabeth, a teacher in the Columbia schools. A very interesting musical program was rendered, the selections varying from some of the classics down to the popular airs of the day.

The wants of the inner man were most bountifully satisfied, and delightful conversation, participated in by all of the happy guests present, added to the other attractions, caused the time to fly too swiftly, and it was with reluctance that adieux were said on the stroke of twelve.

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In Memory of W. T. Shearer.

At the old Trabue home, William Trabue Shearer died Jan. 8, in the same room in which he was born August 24, 1860.

He was the oldest son of Rev. Frank C. Shearer, and Nancy L. Trabue. His father, a well-known minister of the Christian church. Was a native of Shearer Valley, in Wayne Co., belonging to a family of early settlers, noted for their integrity of character. His mother was the oldest child of William Trabue, and Elizabeth H. Caldwell, and was the gentlest, most tenderly loving mother I ever knew. There was a charming devotion between her and this dear son.

From a child he was a strong and decided character, always taking a stand for the right. His father depended upon him and trusted in him. No one ever heard him speak any kind of bad word or tell anything but the truth. He was temperate in all things, in his language and habits, not even using tobacco. He often spoke in public for the cause of Christ, and while still a youth, would read the Bible and conduct family prayers. In my mother's last hours he read to her 2nd Cor. 5th Chapter, which

contains the passage, "Willing rather to be absent from the body and to be present with the Lord," and so he expressed himself in his dying hour. God granted him a blessed and triumphant departure from this life.

He told his only son to meet him in the "glory land." He made bequests to his daughters, and many many tender and kind things to say to his wife, with their hands clasped in this parting hour.

He was married to Eliza Breckinridge Petty in December, 1890. To them six children were born all of whom are living, except one infant. While at his daughters, in town, a cold developed into pneumonia. His wife brought him here to the old home, and the few days he remained with us, everything was done for him that the loving care of his family, the skilled, faithful nursing of his wife, day and night, and the constant attendance of the doctor could give him. Every body loved him. Every body needed him, he never neglected any duty, or shirked any care. His physical strength was not equal to the demands he imposed on himself and when he "heard the voice of Jesus say come unto me and rest," he will-

ingly left it all, and obeyed the command and went to join the "spirits of just men made perfect."

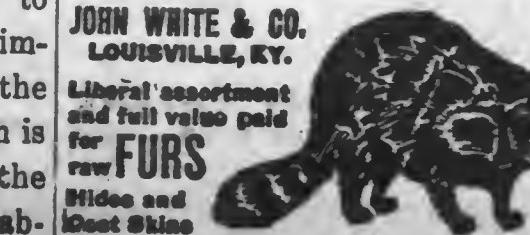
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A Good Trio.

One of the most notable facts connected with a country newspaper of today is the large increase in the amount of advertising of local business houses. The change has taken place gradually during the past year or so. It is highly significant, and an inquiry as to the cause of it is of great profit, not only to those in newspaper business, but to every citizen of our town as well. The change, in brief, means that local merchants have found it necessary to call attention to their goods because of the immense competition they face, the most deadly element of which is that from the big stores of the large cities. These great estab-



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In June, 1918, the Second Division was ordered from a quiet sector of the western front near Verdun to the western angle of the great Marne salient. The German offensive of March to June had created in the French line. Foch had sensed the impending Ludendorff thrust that was to win Paris and a victorious peace, and he was assembling all his available soldiers to meet it. The carrying out of this order by the Second Division involved a march of less than 100 miles, 97 to be exact. Yet 80 per cent of the cold-blooded horses of the artillery brigade succumbed to the rigors of this more-distant march without having come under gunfire. Upward of half the horses that dropped out of line were so completely done up they were unfit to be sent to base stations for recuperation with the ultimate object of returning to service.

The French divisions that accompanied the American divisions on this march lost no more than five per cent of their horses. But the French artillery, cavalry and transport horses were half and three-quarter breeds, the produce of a system of breeding that had been instituted by a farsighted government sixty or seventy years before the outbreak of the great war.

Second Division Suffers.

Because of the collapse of its horse equipment and artillery brigade of the Second Division did not reach its objective until a day after the great struggle that was to terminate in the whining appeal of the German army for an armistice in October had begun. The Second Division fought the first day without artillery protection and suffered outrageously in consequence. The artillery brigade reached the zone of conflict late in the second day and was enabled to take part in the series of actions that completely deranged Ludendorff's ambitious plan of conquest and put the great German army on the defensive only because American remount officers were able to re-equip it from the surplus horse supply of the French army with half and three-quarter breeds. The French were in a position to furnish these indispensable animals because up to the beginning of March the war had been a war of position rather than a war of movement and no hard demand had been made on the artillery and cavalry horse reserves of the French army.

When the great war came to its unexpected finish the United States had under arms, at home and abroad, some 3,700,000 soldiers, of which 974,000 were Infantry, 394,000 were engineers, 389,000 were field artillery, but only 29,000 were cavalry. The field artillery was horsed after a fashion. So was the engineer contingent. But the quality of the horses that served the field artillery and the engineer contingent generally was no better. If, indeed, it was as good, than was the quality of the horses that failed the artillery brigade of the Second Division in the march from Verdun to the Marne salient.

Our Cavalry Not There.

For such masses of infantry and artillery there should have been 250,000 to 350,000 cavalry, according to the most advanced military opinion in the United States and abroad. Yet only an insignificant fraction of the absurdly small mounted contingent of the gigantic military establishment of the United States of November 1st, 1918—the second, third, sixth and fifteenth cavalry regiments—was in France. Most of our 29,000 troopers were patrolling the Mexican frontier. Moreover only a moiety of the so-called American cavalry forces in France was mounted. At no time was it possible to completely horse the second, third, sixth and fifteenth regiments. The troopers of these regiments, when they were not serving with machine gun contingents, were guarding munitions and quartermaster's stores. This condition was due to the disgraceful fact that the United States had no suitable mounts for its cavalry. France and Great Britain, to insure prompt and effective co-operation by the American grand units in the great counter offensive of Foch might spare serviceable artillery horses of the half and three-quarter bred types because, as had already been pointed out, the struggle for civilization up to the beginning of 1918 on the western front had been for the most part a war of position rather than one of maneuver. Their reserves of artillery horses had not been exhausted. But neither France nor Great Britain felt disposed to equip with horses the cavalry of an army that should have entered the conflict with the best mounted and best equipped cavalry to be found on the planet.—Advt.

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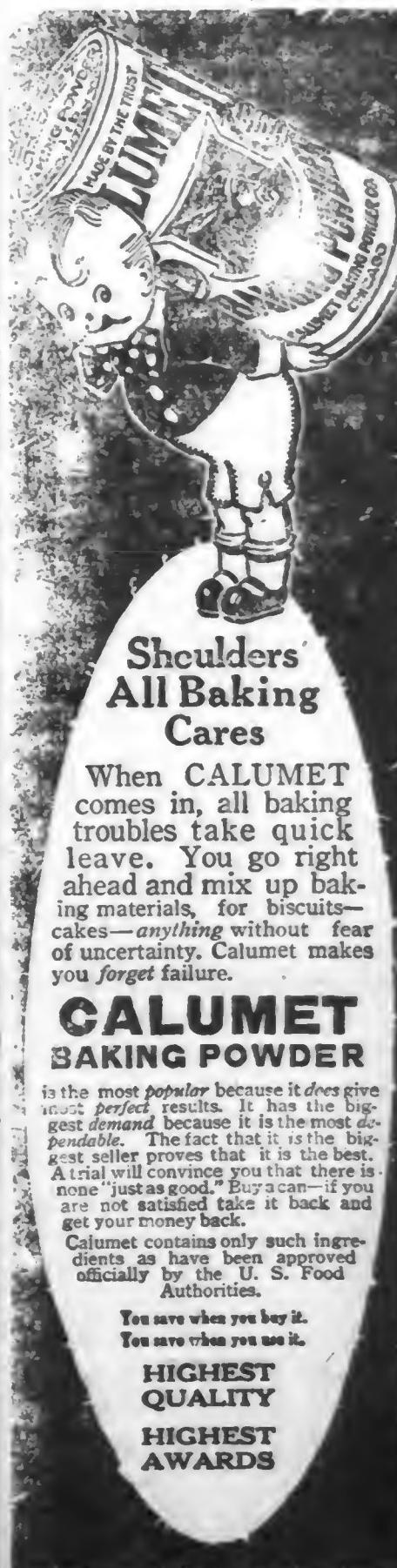
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His Closest Call.

Lt. Col. Will C. McChord, of the Air Service, while here the other day spoke interestingly of his work during the time he was in charge of flying fields in Texas and at Memphis. The only real exhibition of flying ever seen here was given by him in the fall of 1918 when he came to Lebanon in an army bi-plane for a few hours stay with his parents. The exhibition lasted perhaps an hour and there was nothing in the way of "stunts" that he did not do. Incidentally, he stated to The Enterprise that the nearest he ever came to meeting death in the air was

the afternoon he gave the exhibition here. While at a height of 2,000 feet he told his assistant to take control of the machine when he turned in his seat to see if the top of a tool box, immediately back of his seat, was fastened. His assistant did not understand him and failed to take control of the plane, and just as Mr. McChord released hold of the steering wheel the machine began to drop. "We fell fully 250 feet before I was able to gain right the machine," he said. The accident did not frighten Col. McChord and it was afterward that he gave his remarkable exhibition on fancy flying.—Lebanon Enterprise.

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The hired girl drew one-fifty a week and was happy.

The butcher "threw in" a chunk of liver.

The merchant "threw in" a pair of suspenders with every suit.

Nobody "listened in" on the telephone.

There were no sane Fourth nor electric meters.

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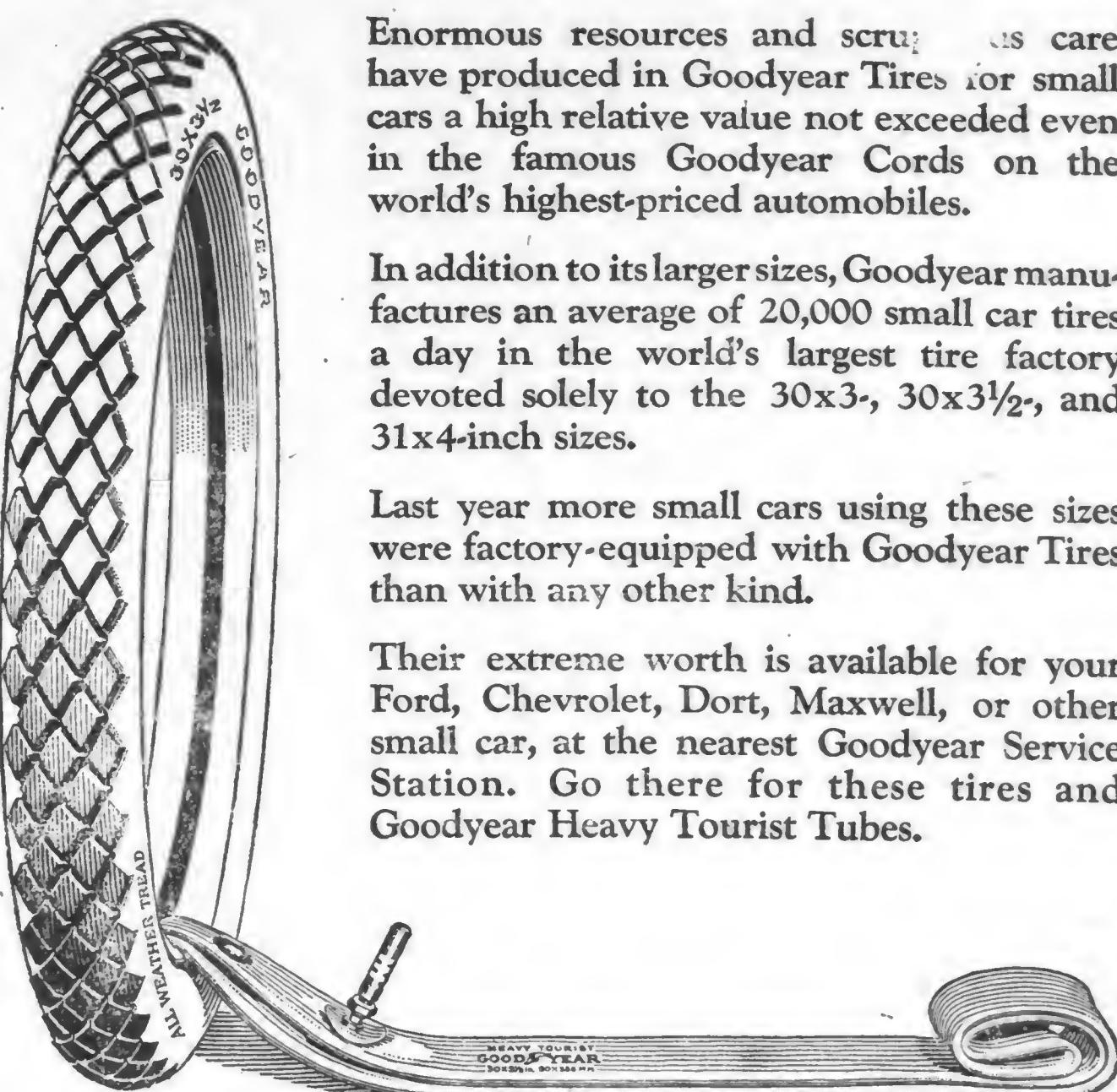
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GOOD YEAR

There were no Bolsheviks or international anarchists. if it happens to have occurred in the family.

The safety razor had not introduced the clean-shaven face.

Publishing a country newspaper was not a business it was a dueling game.

Cancer.

The American Society for the Control of Cancer publishes for the benefit of the public these fourteen points about cancer:

1. The United States lost 80,000 soldiers in the Great War. In the same period 180,000 people died of cancer in the United States. Cancer is the cause of death in one out of every ten persons over 40 years of age.

2. Cancer is curable if recognized and properly treated in its early stages.

3. Cancer begins as a small local growth which may be removed by the surgeon or, in certain external forms, by radium, X-ray or other methods.

4. Cancer is not a constitutional or blood disease, so there is no stigma of any kind attached to it.

5. Cancer is not communicable, and it is impossible to catch it.

6. Cancer is not inherited, so one is not specially susceptible

ical examination as to the possibility of cancer.

7. The beginning of cancer is usually painless, which too often leads to delay in consulting a physician.

8. Every persisting lump in the breast is at least a fair warning to the individual to consult a good physician immediately.

9. Unusual discharge or bleeding—unusual for the individual—should cause a woman to consult a doctor. The change of life is not accompanied by unusual or excess bleeding or discharge in a healthy woman. The return of flowing after it has once stopped should always call for a careful examination by the physician.

10. A sore about the mouth, lips or tongue, that does not heal within a few weeks, is a danger signal. Treating such sores with pastes, caustics and the like is playing with fire.

Moles, warts, birthmarks, and other blemishes which change in appearance or begin to grow warrant the suspicion of cancer and call for competent medical advice.

11. Persistent indigestion developing in middle life, with loss of weight and change of color, or with pain, vomiting or diarrhea, calls for thorough med-

ical examination as to the possibility of cancer.

12. Radium is a useful agent for treating some kinds of cancer, if the surgeon is skilled in its use and enough of the very expensive substance is available, but it is not a cure all. No medicine will cure cancer. Doctors and institutes which advertise

"cure without the knife" play upon the patient's fear of operation in a way that leads too often to the loss of precious time and hence fatal delay in obtaining proper treatment.

13. The common belief that cancer is a hopeless malady is due to the fact that patients cured by surgery prefer to conceal the fact.

14. The American Society for the Control of Cancer solicits support from every one interested in fighting this disease, and publishes much free literature on cancer from its headquarters, 25 West Forty-fifth street, New York City.

The weather is such an important factor in some people's lives that they positively haven't time for anything else. All their plans are made, temporarily, subject to the weather's disposal. No matter what the day may be, it simply doesn't suit the temperature of the house. And every degree's change in the thermometer is foretold by some ache or pain, or corresponding sign in the anatomy.

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THE BEST FOR ADAIR COUNTY.

The road proposition is the all absorbing question in the hill country of Kentucky, and many counties have taken steps to better their condition. No enter-

prise will build up a county fast-

er than the move for good roads.

Good highways not only gladden the hearts of the traveling public, but they are of untold benefit to the farming class. If we

had good pikes running through this county, the farmer would

have no trouble in getting his products to market. They would also save the wear and tear of wagons, and would also prolong the lives of horses and mules that would draw them. The

condition that the roads are now in, a team can only pull a few hundred pounds, but if they were piked the same team could draw easily twenty-five hundred

pounds. Hence bad roads make it very expensive to the farmers,

Besides, good highways makes all kinds of business better. More people would come to the county seat, and as a result more general trading would be done.

Good roads will be an incentive for handsomer residences. People who would live along the pikes would want dwellings in keeping with the highways, hence many old buildings would be razed and new and modern homes would take their places, and farms [that can now be bought for two or three thousand dollars would sell for double that money.

Good roads are inviting. Pike Adair county and in a very few years the growth in population would be marvelous. Every native wants to see his county grow and the volume of business increased. The way to do this is to organize a system for better highways.

It is the enterprising counties that are coming to the front, and the good road spirit is the stimulant. We would be glad to see the Fiscal Court and all men who want to see Adair rise and shine go to work to bring about better road conditions.

To do this there will have to be an outlay of quite a sum of money, but it would be expended in a cause that would help every man, woman and child in Adair county. The money that is expended in patching old roads is thrown away. Macadamize the highways and you will have something substantial

It is nonsensical to say the county does not want to build roads for automobiles. The ma-

chines are here and more will be purchased. Many of the thrifty farmers of the county own automobiles, and we learn that quite a number will be ordered this coming spring.

REORGANIZATION.

Following the articles that appeared in the Elizabethtown News, written by its editor, Harry Summers, and reproduced in the Adair County News, the entire reorganization of the Democratic party in the State is in process of completion.

Eleven leading Democrats are to be named, one from each Congressional District, with entire control of the party rehabilitation until the party Convention takes place some time during the spring.

The purpose of this plan is to get all elements of the party in perfect accord, to more or less suggest legislative policies at Frankfort subject to the approval of Democratic Senators and Representatives, complete publicity in all parts of the State, through several news bureaus, and a perfect organization before the Presidential Convention is held at San Francisco. Harmony is being manifested in these plans, which will be worked out in a few days and it presages the redemption of Kentucky in the November election.

The Kentucky Legislature is moving along with but little accomplished up to the present. A great many bills have been introduced, but there is no telling what will become of the most of

them. We will have to wait until the last days of the session to tell. A Louisville Democratic Senator has introduced a bill doing away with party devices. It has its friends, but will probably be killed.

A dispatch from Washington, D.C., dated January 22, says five prohibition Inspectors were appointed for Kentucky today. They are former Governor Jas. D. Black, former State Fire Marshal Thos. B. Pagnell, W. B. Stanfield, Elijah Hogge, G. Talbott Berry, Henry Maher. Gov. Black's salary is \$3,000, the others \$2,500 each.

There is a law against making a garbage pen out of the public square, hence persons who are throwing out rubbish should be notified to desist. When we had a Town Marshall he kept the square clean. If it requires a Marshall to keep the streets and square in a good sanitary condition, the Board should elect one.

Former Attorney General Jas. Garnett, who is a mighty good Democrat, has been dreaming about Hoover, and thinks he would make an acceptable Democratic candidate for the President. The News will "chaw on."

Mr. Ed D. Shinnick, who was a widely known newspaper man, the editor of the Shelby Record, died at his home near Shelbyville, last week. He was a former President of the Kentucky Press Association, and was a prominent Democrat.

To Contractors.

At my office, at 1:00 P.M. on Feb. 2, 1920. The Adair county Board of Education will let to the lowest responsible bidders, reserving the right to reject any and all bids, the following:

Pollard's chapel, Dist., 12, Div., 1.
Elroy Colored School, Dist., G, Div., 2.

Rainfall, Dist., 53, Div., 3.

Mount Tussell, Dist., 73, Div., 4.

Spout Springs, 64, Div., 4.

For plans and specifications call at my office.

Noah Lcy Supt.,
Adair county Schools.

If you should contract a cold, take care of yourself. While there is no flu in this part of the country, it is raging in Chicago, Ill.

Taken Up as Stray.

The affiant, George Coffey, states that on the 23rd of Nov. 1919, a black heifer, about 2 years old, weight about 700 lbs. No marks of any kind. Said Coffey says he has not defaced any marks on this heifer. He states that he has taken up said heifer as a stray. Said affiant states that his place of residence is Columbia, Ky.

George Coffey.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this Dec. 24, 1919.

W. S. Sinclair, J. A. C. C.
The affiant, R. A. Waggener, states that he has seen a heifer taken up as a stray by Geo. Coffey. He says this heifer is a black, about 2 years old, weight about 700 lbs. Worth about \$60.00, and there are no distinguishing marks about her.

R. A. Waggener.
Subscribed and sworn to before me, this Dec. 24, 1919.

W. S. Sinclair, J. A. C. C.
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Lost.

Between the residence of Mrs. Hamlett and that of W. A. Coffey, on last Thursday evening, gentleman's Onyx Scarf Pin, square setting. Finder return to this office and receive reward.

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T. I. Smith, Cane Valley, Ky.,

Mrs. Mitchum, who was the wife of Charley Mitchum, died at Fairplay last Sunday night.

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PERSONALS

Miss Louise Hughes, daughter of Mr. S. T. Hughes, paid the News office her first visit last Thursday.

Mrs. A. L. Meli, of Leitchfield, spent several days of last week with her mother, Mrs. Susan Grissom.

Messrs. W. A. Garnett, J. V. Dudley and J. W. Simpson were in Louisville last week, attending the State meeting of the Farmers Union.

Mr. Omer Goode, Campbellsville, was here a few days ago, taking orders for Beiknap & Co.

Mr. E. B. McLean, Louisville, was here, visiting his trade a few days ago.

John Allen, of Burkesville, was in Columbia a few days ago, enroute to Danville.

Mr. Henry Hancock, who has been employed as Street car conductor in Louisville, for several months, is now at home.

Judge Junius Hancock, while in Louisville, two weeks ago, had a growth removed from the back of his left hand. It is healing nicely and his hand will soon be well.

Lt. Henry L. Grady, Lt. Harry L. Watts, K. B. Chadwell, C. Rhodes Albert Olsen, T. B. Dunlap, R. Moquin Leo P. Martin are the names of the soldiers, who are registered at the Jeffries Hotel, and who are recruiting men for the artillery.

Mrs. Ruby Turney made a business trip to Chattanooga last week.

Mr. L. W. Hand and Mr. Jesse Dodson, Frazier, Ky., were here a few days since.

Mr. R. C. Borders came over, from Campbellsville, last Thursday.

Mr. Herschel Compton, of Phil, was here last Thursday.

Mr. R. L. Davis and son, Shreve, will leave the first of the week for Western Kentucky, looking for a farm. They may also visit the Central part of the State before returning.

Mr. E. W. Reed made a business trip to Maysville and Louisville last week.

Mr. W. E. Harris spent several days of last week in Russell county.

Mr. G. W. Whitlock, Campbellsville, was here, taking orders last Thursday.

Mr. Henry Cabell, son of Mr. J. F. Cabell, who has been in Arizona, returned home last week.

Mark Willin, of Joppa, son of Isaac Willin, is very sick with pneumonia.

Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Williams and little son, of Dunnville, visited at the home of Mrs. Williams' father, Mr. J. B. Russell, last Friday and Saturday.

Eld. F. J. Barger has been confined to his room for two weeks. He improves slowly. Mrs. Barger, his wife, who has been quite sick, is very much better.

Mr. Silas Cain and several members of his family, who have been very sick with pneumonia, are on the mend.

Mr. Josh Butler, one of Adair's best citizens, has been quite sick for ten days, but we are glad to report his condition much better.

Miss Frances Strange and her brother, Sanford, are recovering from aggravated colds.

Mrs. Kinnie Murrell, who was quite sick Saturday and Sunday, is better.

Mr. J. T. Goodman was in Louisville last week, in the interest of Methodist Church work.

Mrs. J. S. Breeding, who has been quite sick, has about recovered.

Mr. Bruce Montgomery made a business trip to Louisville last week.

Mr. Fred Harris, of West Point, Miss., is here, mingling with his many friends.

Mr. Gordon English is here, from Louisville.

Mrs. Wm. Coleman, of Nashville, Tenn., is here, called on account of the illness of her mother, Mrs. Samle Johnson.

Miss Mae Corneil, who is attending school at Bowling Green, is here, visiting her sister, Miss Elizabeth Corneil.

Mr. E. T. Kemper made a business trip to the Blue Grass the first of the week.

Mr. Robt. Maupin, wife and little son have returned from Indiana.

Local News

I have at my barn in Columbia a lot of good farm mules, ranging in age from two to seven years old. Among them are some good heavy teams. If you want a good team or a single mule call and see them.

S. M. Burdette.

Obituary

Willie Robert Beard, son of J. S. and Lucy B. Beard, was born in Adair Co., Ky., Sept. 21, 1893. Departed this life Dec. 2, 1919. The writer knew him as no one else, save his own relatives. Bob, as every body knew him, was one of the first young men I met when I made my appearance on the Cane Valley charge. We became very close friends from the very first acquaintance. Bob was one of the young men who every body loved.

Never in all my heart to heart talks with him did I ever hear him speak an unkind word about any one. He was always in a happy frame of mind. Always met the world with a smile. He loved music and enjoyed singing so much I was always lost when I went to my appointment and Bob was not there to lead in song, but this was not often. He was always there unless forced to be away. I will never forget the last song he sang for me in my closing service at Plum Point, "There is a Land that is Fairer than Day." But little did we think in such a short time he would be there.

Two months past before I saw him again, and to my surprise I found him in very poor health. Another month soon flew by, when I was called to his bedside to say the last good-bye in this world. The faithful Doctor and a score of friends were there to do all they could to help him, yet he must die. But amid tears and heartaches we were made glad to hear him say

"Mother, I am going to Heaven." Besides his devoted young wife, father, mother, four brothers and two sisters, there is a number of friends to mourn his death. The writer conducted the funeral services at the home of his father-in-law, Mr. Ruel Bridgewater, in the presence of many sorrowing loved ones and friends, after which we laid him to rest in Mt. Carmel cemetery, to await the resurrection morn. To the broken-hearted wife, father, mother, brothers and sisters, and friends, let us press on to reach the Land that is fairer than day and by faith, we shall meet him there.

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COLUMBIA, KY**To Be An American.**

What does it mean? In attempting briefly to answer this question we trust it will be remembered that this is a humane journal. That since the day of its first publication it has stood not only for the just treatment of animals but for the just and humane treatment of one's fellow men. It has never consciously meddled with politics. It has struck hard at such evils as race prejudice, contempt for men of other lands, and that narrow nationalism that loves to parade under the stars and stripes defaced with the inscription "My Country, Right or Wrong." It has believed that there is something greater in this world than America, or England —greater than ever was Rome or Greece in the days of their utmost splendor. "Above all Nations is Humanity." This has been the conviction behind all the American Humane Education Society has done to reach the children not only of this country but of every other country where a door could be opened for it to enter. Its paper, this magazine, has not been given to the use of pious phrases. It has sided with no particular creed. It has tried to say nothing that it did not believe and mean; but it has never been ashamed to confess its faith in the ancient utterance that "God hath made of one blood all nations of men for to dwell on all the face of the earth," and that "He is no respecter of persons."

Believing at least this much of the Christian creed, America has seemed to us greatest when she has been most the servant of humanity, and least when she would be isolated fragment of

selfish aggrandizement and pride. The law of human brotherliness holds for nations as well as for neighbors. The man who can eat and sleep in peace while his neighbors are crushed beneath some load that he could help them bear is accursed whether he knows it or not. So also is that nation that puts its own prosperity, its own selfish interests first, and says to the rest of earth's teeming millions, organized into nations, "Go your way down to death through hunger and want and pestilence and war, for all of me!" The nation that does this is itself on the road to death, no matter what staticists say about its armies and navies, its exports, and the bills receivable due it from its less fortunate neighbors.

To be an American, then, so far as it is given us to understand it, is to be one who, loving his country as the one nation most dear to him, and for whose true honor and defense he would gladly die if need were, most longs to see her, the great, generous, unselfish friend and helper of the suffering and distressed, let them speak what tongue or own allegiance to what flag they may. This is the highest type of American citizenship we can conceive. This what we would say stands for 100 per cent Americanism. Anything less than this may do for politics and politicians, but not for those to whom politics and politicians are but as the small dust in the balance.—Our Dumb Animals.

For Sale.

One hundred bushels of orchard grass seed. See G. A. Smith, Columbia, or G. A. Smith, Jr., Glensford, Ky.

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By the party betrayal of Senator Burton of Grant county to the Republican side of the Senate Gov. Morrow's appointments for places on the Board of Compensation were confirmed.

A thief at Paris, Ky., who steals diamond rings only to return them is baffling the police.

The State is to drop the case of Dr. Schott, the grand jury having refused to indict him.

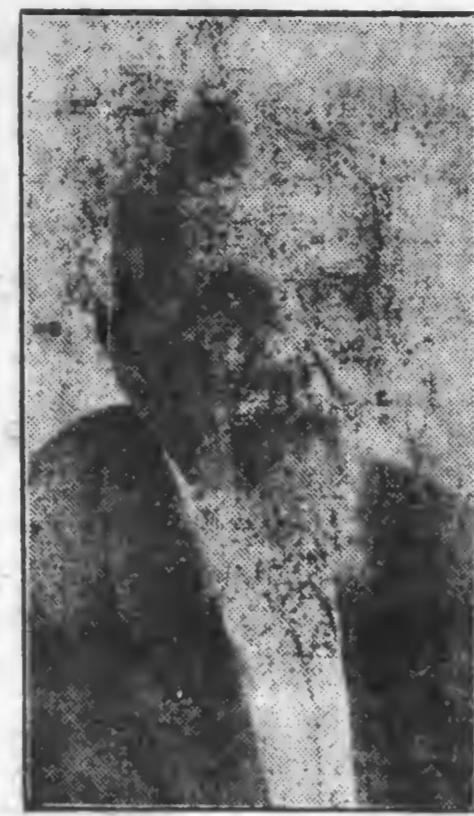
Frank Munsey, owner of the New York Sun has purchased the New York Herald.

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Typical Retired Minister.

While the salaries paid the ministers of Baptist, as well as other churches in the South, have been far too small in the past to enable them to lay aside a competency for old age, a long step in remedying this situation is promised in the Baptist 75 Million Campaign, which proposes to raise \$2,500,000 for the relief of aged ministers during the next five years, and then bring this sum up to \$5,000,000 during the two years immediately following the campaign.

Looking to the adequate care of hundreds of aged Baptist ministers and ministers' widows in the ranks of the Southern Baptist Convention who are now in need of financial assistance, this body, at a recent session, authorized the creation of the Relief and Annuity Board of Dallas, Texas, with Dr. William Lunsford as corresponding secretary.

Heretofore the average annual salary of Baptist ministers in the South has been less than \$500, meaning that a large number of preachers received considerably less than that sum, making it necessary that they engage in other occupations during the week in order to support themselves, and their families, and rendering it practically impossible for them to lay aside any money as a support for their old age.

The establishment of the Relief and Annuity Board and the decision to raise \$5,000,000 during the next seven years for the relief of the aged ministers already in need of assistance and the more adequate care of the men who hereafter give their lives to the Christian ministry without an opportunity to save up a competency to tide them through sickness or care for them in their declining days, has met with a cordial reception at the hands of Southern Baptists, and it is believed the provision of better treatment for the ministers in their retirement will not only tend to cause young men to look with greater favor upon the ministry as a life work, but will bring the members of local congregations generally to see the need of paying pastors more adequate salaries before these pastors become old and helpless.

By the addition of an annuity feature it is possible for retired ministers to receive an annuity of \$500 after they have reached the age of 68, and provided they have been in the ministry for thirty years. If they have served less than 30 years the annuity is reduced by a certain proportion. To participate in this annuity a minister must make monthly, quarterly, or annual payments sufficient to bring in an income of \$100 per year when invested, on the principle of regular life insurance, while this is supplemented by \$400 provided by the denomination. A minister's participation in the annuity fund is in addition to his claims upon the relief fund.

If the minister is disabled at any time after joining the annuity fund, he will receive a certain annuity throughout the period of disability. If he dies his widow will receive an annuity of 60 per cent of what would have gone to her husband as long as she lives, and should the widow die her annuity will be divided among minor children until they become self supporting, marry or reach the age of 21.

The board has received an endowment of \$100,000 from the Baptist Sunday School Board at Nashville not included in the 75 Million Campaign, and this sum will be divided equally between the relief and annuity departments. This enables the board to begin work immediately and assistance is already being given to 285 aged ministers and ministers' widows.

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Which are you? Perhaps you have never given it a thought.

You may not realize yourself which you are—but your neighbors all know. They have you accurately catalogued according to your deserts.

If you are a booster, they admire you; if you are quiescent, they wonder when you will emerge from your slumber; and if you are a knocker, they yearn for the day when you will fold up your tent and silently fade away.

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The president is right. The people want the treaty ratified. The Portland (Ore.) Journal has been taking a poll on the question of ratifying the Peace Treaty, and the result so impressed Senator Chamberlain that he had it printed a day or two ago in the Congressional Record. Up to that time the votes received and counted were:

For compromise and immedi-

ate ratification, 374.

For ratification with Lodge reservations, 66.

For ratification substantially as presented by Wilson, 5,333.

Opposed to ratification in any form, 133.

The rest of the country is even more solid for unconditional ratification.

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OUR WORK IS UP-TO-DATE**

Mr. Dan Hatcher, (better known as Neighbor) made our town last week with a full line of samples for the spring market. Mr. Hatcher is one of our best shoe men and has prices that will meet competition.

We are glad to note that the daughter of Mr. Sam Dudley, of our city, who has been confined to her room for several weeks, is thought to be improving at this time.

We are sorry to note that Mr. W. P. Flowers, one of our best citizens, has been confined to his room for several weeks, with a complication of troubles. He does not seem to improve fast.

Strong Hill spent several days in Columbia last week. He had business in Quarterly court.

There were a number of hogsheads of tobacco prized in this community last week, preparatory for the Louisville market.

We are glad to note that Mr. and Mrs. Garnett Dowell, of Campbellsville, are now citizens of our community. We are glad to have them with us.

Last Friday night our mail failed to reach us from Edmonton, on the account of our mail boy taking very sick, while on the road and had to remain on the route for the night.

Our farmers in this section, are complaining of a disease among their young cattle. A number of them have died. Yearlings principally.

We are glad to note that Mr. Zach Hayes and family, formerly of Sparksville, are now citizens of our town. We are glad to have this good family in our midst.

Our farmers are now preparing timber to burn plant beds, and at the present, Mr. H. E. Kinnaird is the first one to get a bed burned and sown. The old adage goes that the early bird gets the worm. Mr. Kinnaird sold his last year's crop for a fancy price and he knows just when to strike for a good tobacco crop, and then another thing is, he has just moved into our community, from Leatherwood Creek, and they all know down there how to grow the weed.

We are sorry that we have to note that the good families of Dolphus Curry and Tilden Wheeler, who have been living in our midst for some time, have bought farms in the section of Breeding and Sparksville, and have recently moved to their new homes. They are good people and we regret to give them up.

Russell Creek.

Some of our farmers finished gathering their corn last week.

Something like the old fashion grippe has been going through this neighborhood, for the past two weeks.

It is reported that Mr. Cassius Hood has pneumonia fever and is very sick.

Mr. Ray Flowers, of Columbia, was through this neighborhood taking census last week.

Mr. Clay Suddarth is still confined to his room with rheumatism, he don't seem to improve as fast as we would love to see him.

Miss Verna Todd will leave for the Western Normal School where she will complete her State certificate.

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Six Years Ago, Thinking She Might Die, Says Texas Lady, But Now She Is a Well, Strong Woman and Praises Cardui For Her Recovery.

REYSE CITY, TEX.—Mrs. Mary Killman, of this place, says: "After the birth of my little girl...my side commenced to hurt me. I had to go back to bed. We called the doctor. He treated me...but I got no better. I got worse and worse until the misery was unbearable...I was in bed for three months and suffered such agony that I was just drawn up in a knot..."

I told my husband if he would get me a bottle of Cardui I would try it... I commenced taking it, however, that evening I called my family about me... for I knew I could not last many days unless I had a change for

J. T.

the better. That was six years ago and I am still here and am a well strong woman, and I owe my life to Cardui. I had only taken half the bottle when I began to feel better. The misery in my side got less... I continued right on taking the Cardui until I had taken three bottles and I did not need any more for I was well and never felt better in my life... I have never had any trouble from that day to this."

Do you suffer from headache, backache, pains in sides, or other discomforts, each month? Or do you feel weak, nervous and fagged-out? If so, give Cardui, the woman's tonic, a trial.

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Gradyville,

to spend a day or so with their relatives. They report well satisfied with their new home.

Sam Burdette and J. B. Coffey, of Columbia, passed through here Saturday with a nice lot of mules for the Edmonton market.

Mrs. Luther Willis has been by the bedside of her sister, at Keltner, for the past week, who is very sick.

We failed to get any mail for a day or so last week, on the account of high water.

The Greensburg loose Leaf tobacco house was well represented from this section, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Sparks, of Purdy, came in a few days ago,

moved to their new farm in Taylor county, last week. We regret very much to give up this estimable family.

Miss Olie Piercy and brother, entered the L. W. T. S. last week.

Mr. Leslie Keltner entered school at Campbellsville last week

Mr. Bill Hood was confined to his room last week with grippe.

Ernest Cudiff sold two calves to Mr. G. M. Cundiff, of Mt. Pleasant, for \$40.00.

The wheat crops are looking very disheartening in this locality

Messrs. Billy and Johnnie Todd, of Romine, were visiting at Mr. George Todd recently.

Some of our country roads are in a very bad shape.

Mr. Cleveland Garrison lost two work horses in the last few weeks.

Ozark.

The New Year has made its advent, and nineteen hundred nineteen is no more. Lets resolve to make this the best year of our lives. Lets endeavor to live more like Him "who went about doing good."

Elmore Bryant and family and Omra Webb and family, who live near Campbellsville, came over and spent Christmas with relatives.

Rev. Lee filled his appointment at Clear Springs last Saturday night and Sunday. Owing to inclement weather, very few attended.

Lucien and German Price, sons of Mr. and Mrs. Porter Price, this place, spent the holidays with friends, near Keltner.

L G. Montgomery and family left last Friday for their home in Indiana.

Mr. Ed Blair and wife, of Iowa, visited Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Bryant last week. Mr. Blair is a brother of Mrs. Bryant.

Mr. P. M. Bryant happened to a painful accident a few days ago, while cutting stove wood, A stick struck him near the eye, making a bad bruise.

Mr. B. O. Hurt and family and Omery Webb and family spent last Saturday at the pleasant home of Mr. Solomon McKinley.

Mrs. Z. T. Young and Mrs. F. P. Bryant, who have been invalids for several years, have stood the winter fine so far.

Laziest Of The Lazy.

The high cost of living is not the only problem before America according to Vice President Thomas B. Marshall. The high cost of leisure is also a menace he says. "One of the old ideas of republic was that the limit of striving for success was the limit of capacity and endurance" declared the Vice President recently. "The real evil which

we are confronting today is the high cost of leisure. I speak in a consious way because I am myself the laziest of the lazy.

"I only beg the thoughtful consideration of younger men who have the good of the republic at heart, seriously to consider the problem as to whether the only way in which to meet the increasing difficulties of American life is not by additional striving to produce more, to earn more, to economize more, and to save more."

Each American citizen has it well within his power to follow the vice president's advice, no matter what his condition. No matter what he is able to earn, whether small sum or great, the securities of the government, Thrift Stamps, War Savings Stamps, Treasury Savings Certificates of Indebtedness and Liberty Bonds give opportunity to save at least a part of his reward of labor.

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Jan. 19, 1920.

Adair County News,
Columbia, Ky.

Having been absent from your State and county for almost six years, and have had the news with me each week and feeling that you are due to receive my yearly remittance, I am sending you check for two dollars, for which extend my subscription another year.

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I am always glad for Friday to come so I can get the news, which is like a letter from home. I get letters from friends and relations, but they can never tell you all the news like the home paper.

I saw some of my "home" boys go through here to the European conflict and also saw some of them going back.

I shall close by wishing the Adair Co., people, a great many of whom at some time or another were pupils of mine in some blessed old country school house out in the country, a joyous time for 1920.

Kept,
Ben Jeffries.

Gradyville,

The letter from this place which you will publish this week, reached you too late for the issue of last Wednesday. Nothing of unusual interest has occurred here since it was mailed.

The continuous wet weather is throwing the farmers behind. Big Creek has been flush for more than a week, at times past fording, but no damage has been done to land by washouts.

W. L. Grady is receiving letters from various localities in regard to pasture for the early spring. His stock is in fine condition. He keeps them as slick as ribbons.

Milltown.

to build over Pettiford, on the Gradyville and Milltown road?

J. R. Tutt and F. D. Cobb are having a nice lot of timber cut on their farm, near this place.

Mr. Bud Wilson, of Yosemite, Casey county, was calling on his friends here, several days of last week.

Drs. O. P. Miller and W. J. Flowers removed Mrs. C. H. Dohoney's tonsils one day last week. She is recovering rapidly.

Caleb Caldwell sold one span of mules for \$350.

The mill dam at this place broke at one end, but has been repaired.

Miss Lorena Skaggs and Mr. Ralph Stults eloped to Jeffersonville one day last week, and were married.

Mrs. J. R. Tutt Jr., and son, Thomas A., visited Miss Susie Johnson several days of last week.

Mr. Booker Leftwich has about completed the census in this precinct.

Mr. R. C. Borders, Campbellsville, was calling on our merchants one day last week.

Mr. M. D. Boone, Louisville, Mr. Fred Myers, Columbia, were in our midst several days last week, selling The J. B. Colt Cooking and Lighting Plants. They sold to Mr. F. D. Cobb, J. T. Mercer, Robert Caldwell, R. L. Caldwell, G. A. Atkins, J. R. Tutt Jr., J. C. Browning. These plants will be installed in a few weeks. The people here want more lights.

We missed our mail one day last week, on account of high water. What has become of our bridge that the county was going

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